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THE GREAT MILK CONVENTION. **FRANKLIN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.**
A notable gathering to be held at Horticultural Hall, New York City, on the 25th and 26th of September, 1902.

of milk for Boston market. It is hoped
to arouse an interest among them that shall
lead to the New England Milk Producers'
association a power that can properly repre-

us dairy authority who is so well and ably known in New England, also took leading part in the successful Orange County milk war. Dr. H. A. Pooler, of the University of Vermont, New York, and others in general court assembled. Hon. N. G. Newcomb, David B. Wait, and Hon. W. T. Davis and their successors, were made a corporation, by the name of the Franklin County Agricultural Society for the encouragement of agriculture and the mechanic arts. The first meeting

et every farmer and milk producer for
t market or who is interested in the
wth and prosperity of the dairy industry

EGGS IN WINTER.
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Patience Pringley presents in the Poultry
cabin a cheerful picture of fowls well
fed and fed a condition in pleasant con-

stand, pens, etc., making \$7000 in all. This was paid with money raised partly by life memberships, partly by subscriptions, and the balance from the receipts of the society's fair. On these grounds, we have held their exhibitions for sixteen years, when by many it was abandoned with regret, viz., Feb. 16, 1876, and

g. For drink I always give warm water and they like it. I keep the houses dry and warm, but not foul and hot."

in heavy clay, which had been trenched down to "an iron hard pan." The trees made no growth, and moss and lichens grew on them. The orchard was then thoroughly drained. In six months the lichens began to fall, and the next year saw growth next fair, with handsome premiums. Thirty years ago our ploughing matches were a very interesting part of the fair.

THE STATE BOUNTY.

The bounty of \$600 was first received by this orchard in 1879. This amount has been repaid

